

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8790

AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS IMMEDIATE

UNCLAS BEIRUT 4085

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EAID, EAGR, LE

SUBJECT: PL 480 TITLE I LEBANON SECOND WHEAT SHIPMENT

REF: STATE 182209

1. CEREALS OFFICE (OCBS) DIRGEN BERBARI INFORMED EMBASSY THAT SUBJECT SHIPMENT L/CS SENT BY OCBS JUNE 21 TO BANK OF LEBANON THROUGH MIN FINANCE BUT DELAYED AT LATTER PLACE BECAUSE ABSENCE EMPLOYEES DUE TO RECENT EVENTS IN BEIRUT.
2. BANK OF LEBANON RECEIVED ORDERS OPENING L/CS TODAY AND WILL CABLE L/C NUMBERS TOMORROW 7/21 TO CHASE MANHATTAN BANK N.Y. FULL TEXT WILL FOLLOW WITHIN 48 HOURS. BANK OF LEBANON INFORMED ABOVE TO CHASE MANHATTAN BEIRUT AND IS IN CONTACT WITH LATTER.
3. EMBASSY WILL APPRECIATE USDA ASSISTANCE WITH SUPPLIERS TO AVOID DELAYS IN SHIPMENT SINCE L/CS ARE ON THEIR WAY.
4. PLEASE NOTIFY ABOVE TO LEBANESE EMBASSY WASHDC, FARID ABBOUD.  
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